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1. Infantry Unit [redacted] was stationed in the Pobezovice (N 50/P 61) area until 2 December 1950. The unit was commanded by Lieutenant Colonel Valentin, (fnu). Staff Captain Stanko, (fnu), was the commanding officer of the company stationed in Pivon (N 50/P 61), which had POB No 1/P. The unit was composed of 50 percent Czechs and 50 percent Slovaks. *
2. The infantry unit was made up of the headquarters; a 5th Inf Co which was stationed in Pivon until the end of November 1950; a submachine gun company and another company in Pobezovice; one company in Hostoun (N 50/P 61); one company in Pivon; one unit in Mela nad Rabuzou (N 50/P 52); and the NCO school in Ujezd Sv. Brize.
3. The units were equipped with German model 43 rifles and Czech model 43-A and 43-B submachine guns. Mortars were observed with the troops in Pivon. Vehicles available included three trucks, three Jawa motorcycles, about 50 horse-drawn vehicles and several field kitchens.
4. The training at squad level was started at the end of November 1950, while training in the defense of barracks installations was scheduled for the future.
5. Red pipings were added to the caps, and red stripes to the epaulets of the officers in late November 1950. The IP were simultaneously told that their uniforms would be altered accordingly. **
6. [redacted] an artillery unit in Jince (N 50/L 45) and an infantry unit in Beroun (N 50/L 57).

- * [redacted] Comment. [redacted] confirms the 64th Inf Bn in Pobezovice [redacted] as the 64th Inf Regt. [redacted]. The present [redacted] 25X1
- ** [redacted] Comment. New service color and insignia were introduced into the Czechoslovakian Army on 1 January 1951. 25X1

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